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In re Patent Application of:

Robert Soule et al.

Application No.: 10/669,894

Confirmation No.: 2236

Filed: September 23, 2003

Art Unit: 2876

For: OLD TITLE: Reprogramming System

Including Reprogramming Symbol **NEW TITLE**: Symbol Generator For

Generating Programming Bar Code Symbols

Examiner: U. C. N. Le

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Comments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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COMMENTS

Regarding the Statement of Reasons For Allowance of November 5, 2007, the applicants note that the elements listed in the Examiner's statement are not recited in combination in any individual claim. If the Examiner's position is that the elements noted in the Examiner's statement must be recited in combination in a certain claim for the claim to be allowable, the Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the allowance and present a new non-final office action formalizing such a position. Otherwise, the record will reflect that each claim was allowed for the recital of one or more combination of elements actually recited therein.

Also, regarding claim 73, applicants cannot identify any element of the claim related to the element noted by the Examiner relative to claim 73. If the Examiner's position is that the listed elements of the statement as to claim 73 must be present in claim 73 for claim 73 to be allowable, the Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw allowance and to present a new non-final office action substantiating such a position. Otherwise, the record will show that each claim has been allowed for the recital of one or more combination of elements actually recited therein.

If the Examiner believes that contact with applicants' attorney would be advantageous toward the disposition of this case, the Examiner is herein requested to call applicants' representative at the phone number listed below.

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